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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

n re Application of: Alex A. Behfar, et al.)
Serial Number: 10/802,734) Group No.: 2828
Filed: March 18, 2004) Examiner: Nguyen, Phillip
For: High SMSR Unidirectional Etched Lasers and Low Back-Reflection Photonic Device) Atty. Docket: Bin 9/US)

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated August 24, 2006, please amend the claims as follows: